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CLAIMS AS FILED						
	Claims Filed	Basic Fee Claims	Extra	R		
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	i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(s): Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in prior application.
5.	Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is marked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
6.	Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7.	Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
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8.	Assignment and Assignment Recordation Form
9.	37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Statement
10.	English Translation Document (if applicable)
11.	Information Disclosure Statement with PTO-1449 and References
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12.	Preliminary Amendment
13.	Return Receipt Postcard
14.	Small Entity Status Claimed: Independent Inventor Small Business Concern Non-Profit Organization
15.	Foreign Priority is Claimed as Follows:
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16	Other:

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17.		Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-Part of Prior Application No.: filed
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